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W.P.No.32650 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 16.07.2024

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S. RAMESH
and
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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S.Fathima

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State represented by its

1.The Secretary to Government of Tamilnadu
Department of Home (Prison IV)
Fort St. George,
Chennai-600 009.

2.The Superintendent
Central Prison
Coimbatore

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to release the detenu, Santhu Mohammed @ Sethu, S/o.Sherif, aged about 46 years, Convict No.10708, confined at Central Prison, Coimbatore, prematurely as per the G.O.(Ms.) No.1155 dated 11.09.2008, G.O.(Ms).No.64 dated 01.02.2018, G.O.(Ms).No.488 dated 15.11.2021.



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For Petitioner : Dr.S.Manoharan
For Respondents : Mr.A.Gokulakrishnan
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

M.S.RAMESH, J.
and
SUNDER MOHAN, J.

The limited prayer sought for in the present writ petition is to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 19.10.2023 and to release the detenu, Santhu Mohammed @ Sethu, S/o.Sherif, aged about 46 years, Convict No.10708, confined at Central Prison, Coimbatore, prematurely as per the G.O.(Ms.) No.1155 dated 11.09.2008, G.O.(Ms).No.64 dated 01.02.2018, G.O.(Ms).No.488 dated 15.11.2021, wherein the petitioner has sought for premature release of her son.

2. In the counter affidavit filed by the respondents, it is stated that the case of the life convict for a pre-mature release is under consideration in G.O.(Ms) No.430, Home (Prison-IV) Department, dated 11.08.2023 and that they are awaiting notification of the Tamil Nadu Prison Rules, 1983.



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3. In view of the limited prayer sought for, there shall be a direction to the 1st respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 19.10.2023 and pass final orders within a period of four (4) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4.This writ petition stands disposed of accordingly.

[M.S.R., J] [S.M., J]
16.07.2024
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